VAP3 Rec'd PCI/PTO 19 APR 2008-6 U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER Form PTO-1390 (Rev. 02-2005) PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE PIR-123 TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES U.S. APPLICATION IN 76297 DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED PCT/IB2004/003433 October 20, 2004 October 20, 2003 TITLE OF INVENTION DATE METHOD AND A DEVICE FOR TREATING MICROPARTICLES April 19, 2006 APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US Matti KORPELA and Kenneth RUNDT Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: 1. [XX] This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. [] This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. [] This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below. 4. [] The US has been elected by the expiration of 19 months from the priority date (Article 31). 5. [XX] A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)) a. [] is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau). b. [XX] has been communicated by the International Bureau. c. [] is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US). 6. [XX] An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). (43 pages and 20 sheets of drawings (Figs. 1-112)). a. [XX] is attached hereto. b. [] has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 7. [XX] Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(C)(3)) a. [] are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). [XX] have been communicated by the International Bureau. c. [] have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. [] have not been made and will not be made. 8. [] An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 9. [] An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)). 10. [] An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

12. [] An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.

17. [] A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 35 U.S.C. 1.821 - 1.825.

19. [] A second copy of the English language translation of the international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

18. [] A second copy of the published international application under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).

f. PCT/IB/308 (2nd Notice)

g. WO 2005/037439 (cover page)

Items 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:

14. [] A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.

16. [] A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.

13. [XX] A FIRST preliminary amendment.

15. [] A substitute specification.

20. [XX] Other items or information:

e. PCT/IB/308 (1st Notice)

a. PCT/RO/101

b. PCT/ISA/210c. PCT/ISA/237d. PCT/IB/304

11. [] An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.

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